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Minnesota Public Benefit Corporation / Annual Benefit Report

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# Fourth Annual Benefit Report of UR Turn A Minnesota Specific Benefit Corporation 2020

#### Significance of UR Turn, SBC

Helping more students advance along the pathway to higher education.

### Ways in which UR Turn, SBC pursued its stated specific public benefit purpose from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019

- 1. Exhibited, showcased and sold at 3 national level conferences (SXSW edu in Austin, TX; International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) in Philadelphia, StartED conference in New York City and at 4 state level conferences (Association of School Administrators of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois and Texas)
- 2. Conducted outreach to Native American educators and tribal leaders in Minnesota, Oklahoma and California; provided case study and value proposition of our goal-setting and progress-tracking app for increasing educational outcomes for Native students.
- 3. Received new funding with AT & T Aspire ed tech accelerator and new Angel investor totaling \$225K; received 0% interest loan from MN DEED MILE program.
- 4. Subcontracted with Software Architect, Senior Software Developer and Customer Success manager.
- 2. Extent to which UR Turn pursued its stated purpose to "help all students move along the pathway to post-secondary education," the company accomplished the following activities in 2019:
  - 1. Provided customer support to nearly 7, 500 students, families and counselor (30% of whom are Native American students; over 60% of students are eligible for free/reduced price lunch)
  - 2. Created tracking system for School Counselors to monitor those students who are trending high in their school absence rate, thus putting them at risk of failing at least one course; a tracking system to monitor when students are missing credits that qualify them for graduating high school, and an ongoing "Concern" report to draw attention to and to triage around students who are of high risk of not finishing high school
  - 3. Systematically collected user analytics tracking the engagement rate of educators and students; conducted 2 focus groups (counselors and students) in Minnesota to assess case of use of product; gathered product improvement ideas and suggestions.
  - 4. Obtained new customer on the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma, Sequoyah High School, thus continuing the recognition that we serve as a reliable partner for Native American schools and their students;
  - 5. Served as mentor to woman startup founders and founders of color



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